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IAST EDITION WENTHER FOR SALT LAKE. Probably Fair.

THE METALS. The per ounce, 11%c; New York, 12%c \$3.50; New York, \$1.35 to

#### UNDER ARREST FOR STREET CAR HOLD-UP AND MURDER

Police Believe John Shockley Is the Man Who Fired the Fatal Shots.

Officers Given Information by His Pal-Street Car Men Incensed and Talk of Lynching-Conductor Brighton Dies.

JOHN SHOCKLEY, accused by his room mate, Bert Prothero, of the murder of Motorman Amasa L. Cleason and Conductor Thomas B. Brighton Wednesday night, was arrested at 4 o'clock vesterday aftermoon. He was secretly transferred from the city jail to the state penitentiary at 8:45 o'clock last evening to prevent a possible lynching by a mob led by street car employes who flocked around the police headquarters and the city jail and dispersed only when a committee of five men was allowed to go through the fail and see for themselves that the accused man had been taken away.

Brighton died at 11:45 o'clock last night at the Holy Cross hospital, just twenty-four hours after he had been shot. He was able to make no statement other than already recorded in The Heraid as to the incidents in connection with the double nurder.

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The authorities are agreed that a broching was averted only narrowly. The 390 employes of the Consolidated Railway & Power company were thoroughly incensed and bent on summary vengeance. They pointed to the action of Governor Wells, Attorney General Breeden and the other members of the board of pardons in the James Lynch case as an example of what might be expected if this murderer was allowed to take the regular legal course.

"If one man who committed murder in trying to carry out a robbery is let go with a commutation of sentence," they argued in the street in front of police headquarters, "this man is likely to cet out, too."

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The hat in question is unusually interested he wore a new stiff black hat, size 7%. When and where he secured the black hat is not known. The soft hat is thought to have been bought in Idaho Falls, Ida.

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The sentiment in favor of quick action found a widespread echo, and there was an angry mob in front of police headquarters and watching the city jail in the rear for several hours. A guard was placed around the jail by street car men. The only thing which kept them from storming the stronghold was the lack of positive evidence.

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Shockley appears to be 28 or 30 years old and Prothero about 20. Prothero says they came here together, last Friday, from the north. Shockley is said to be a gambler and sporting man. Neither man had a cent on him when arrested.

Shockley claims he was around the salons and gambling houses at the

At 8:45 o'clock Shockley, guarded by Captain Burbidge, Detectives Chase and sleigh. Sergeant Eddington and two puty sheriffs, was sneaked out the tek way, across back yards and over to the carriages. Thence, before the ruse could be discovered, he was driven hurriedly to the state penitentiary, where he can be protected by high stone walls and armed guards. The street car men are reported, nevertheless, to be determined to get him as soon as he is taken out of this fortress.

mistake, and neither do you."

This argument kept the meb from decisive action, although they remained about in a threatening attitude until late. The authorities were repeatedly warned of the danger of a lynching and they spent the evening in getting Shockley out of harm's way.

The street car men had a guard along First South, State street and part of the distance on Second East street. Determined to get his man to a place of safety, Captain Burbidge sent officers out to drive back the crowd, throwing a cordon of police about all the means of exit and keeping the mob back. Two carriages were ordered to stand on Second South streets.

TAKEN TO PENITENTIARY.

The street dam part of the distance on Second East street. The street car men had a guard along First South street, but admits he saw nobody who could identify him as being there. None of the barjenders in either place remembered having seen him. He could not carriages were ordered to stand on Second South streets.

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revolver to get some money, returning with some cash. This was the night a Brigham street car was held up at Thirteenth East street. N. E. Andews, afternoon to identify either Shockley

MAKE CONFLICTING STATE-MENTS.

# man guilty of the street car murders: He accused John Shockley, who occupied the same room with him over the Occidental saloon on East First South street, near Main street, of having compiled the crime.

ommitted the crime.

He said he was afraid for his own to Salt Lake.

#### HIS PAL TELLS HOW SHOCKLEY CONFESSED TO THE DOUBLE MURDER

The news that the highwayman had been captured, spread like wildfire about the city, and in less than half an hour a crowd of nearly 100 persons had there, his roommate, about 11 o'clock, gathered in front of police headquarters. Shockley was hustled into the chief's private office and orders given to lock the entrances to the city half and admit no one. Prothero, the man who furnished the information that led to Shockley's arrest, was taken into the detective's office just across the half.

The said he returned to his room about 11 o'clock, and said he returned to his room about 12:30 a. m. He said that he had spent the time between 11 p. m. and 12:30 a. m. 'He said that he had spent the time between 11 p. m. and 12:30 a. m. 'He said that he had spent the time between 11 p. m. and 12:30 a. m. 'He said that he had spent the time between 12:30 a. m. 'He said that he had spent th

Captain Burbidge. Detectives Chase and Raleigh, County Attorney Westervelt and Sheriff C. Frank Emery subjected Shockley to a se-

Shockley Was Cool.

### NO LAW IN COLORADO

Cripple Creek, Colo., Jan. 7 .- Colonel Verdeckberg, commander of the military force in this district, held a "counsel of war" today with his post commanders, to which plans for the enforcement of the vagrancy proclamation were discussed. The colonel refused to disclose his plans, but it is reported that one more day will be given strikers to leave the district or obtain employment. Preparations are being made it is said, for wholesale arrests tomorrow. Prisoners against whom no charge other than vagrancy is made will be evicted from Teller county and will not be permitted to return.

C. H. Relmer, who was arrested yesterday, is confined in the county jail, but no criminal charge has been filed against him. His home is in Buffalo, N. Y., and an attempt may be made to take his case before the United States district court on an application for a writ of habeas cor-



Victims of Street Car Holdup and Suspected Murderer 

## ROCK ISLAND WRECK DRIGGS FOUND GUILTY BY JURY CONFESSED HIS CRIME

Golden State Limited Runs Into a Freight Train in New

A guard was placed around the fail by street car men. The only thing which plant is treeted from the first man had a cent on him when streeted. The plant man had a cent on him when streeted from the first man had a cent on him when streeted from the first man had a cent on him when the first man had a cent on him the man had a cent on him the first man had the life of the murder. He accuses Prothers a says with mere the first man had a cent on him the salous man had the first man had a cent on him the mind a first man had the time that the time had the time of

and Main streets at that time.

Prothero accused Shockley of going out Saturday night with his 45-calibre which are felt in the region of the voluming. no. These seismic disturbances are priggs also admitted that he gave mone of the priggs also admitted that he gave damage has been reported.

#### WILL RETURN AFTER THE SOLDIERS GO

Telluride, Colo., Jan. 7 .- Fifty-six All the officers who have anything to do with the case are convinced that Shockley is guilty. They admit, however, that the case is as yet incomplete. They hope that work now in progress will complete the chain and make a conviction certain,

The first clew came in shortly after a o'clock yesterday afternoon. A man walked into the station, giving his name as Bert Prothero, and told Captain Burbidge he knew who was the man guilty of the street car murders.

At police headquarters both men guel county by the military authorities since the publication of the governor's martial law proclamation. About fortervelt and Detectives Chase and Raleigh. They made many conflicting statements, which convinced all that Shockley was guilty.

Prothero said he met Shockley first in Idaho Falls, Idaho, a couple of weeks or so ago. The latter had come there from Butte. They were both waiting to see if privilege would not be given to open a gazbling house. Meanwhile At police headquarters both men men have been expelled from San Mi-

#### OTHER CHARGES YET TO HAVE AN AIRING

Jefferson City, Mo., Jap. 7.—After the evidence had been submitted in the case' of Prosecuting Attorney R. P. Sione on the charge of having accepted an illegal fee, Judge Longan today d e did not warrant the charge.

CONGRESSIONAL

unanimous consent that one hour be devoted at the opening of tomorrow's existence on the devoted at the opening of tomorrow's existence on the consideration of a bill amending the act appropriating \$500,000 for the eradication of foot and mouth disease among cattle, so as to make \$250,000 of that amount available to portation.

This is some out by the radication will fall to some western the bureaus at Washington will be in a consideration will fall to some western the properties of the consideration of a bill attendence on the meeting. Probably the most important subjects to be dispersion. The place of meeting will doubt-less be a contest between Denver, Colo., and Ei Paso, Tex. meet the emergency caused by the Mexican boll weevil. The bill was favorably reported today,

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Miami, Fla., Jan. 7.-General + John B. Gordon, commander-in chief of the United Confederate + ♦ Veterans, is reported to be se- ♦

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#### Recommendation For Mercy Accompanied the Verdict-Offense Carries a Prison Sentence-Sympathy For Defendant.

tion for a stay of proceedings pending an appeal. Judge Thomas told the counsel they might agree on a day for sentence. He said:

"I wish I could inflict a sentence without imprisonment, but I cannot under the law. I shall make the sentence as light as I possibly can. You, Driggs, are free to come and go as you please."

"Gave Beavers Money.

Went as far as Denver and the Pacific coast.

"All this time I was acting, not because I was a member-elect of congress, but a good business proposition had been made me. Finally I got an order for 250 machines which were to be placed in the postoffice.

"I never asked a member of congress to aid me, nor did I bring the matter before any congressional committee. The machines went into the department how their merits. For my two years'

Mr. Driggs admitted that he had on their merits. For my two years placed 250 of the Cashier company's work for the company I received \$12,000 machines in various departments of the through Mr. Miller. This was my compostoffice at Washington, and that he was paid \$12,500 by the company. Mr. not for any special contract secured."

Driggs also admitted that he gave monMr. Driggs declared that he never

#### ENGINEER OF PASSENGER TRAIN RESPONSIBLE FOR THE WRECK

Topeka, Kan., Jan. 7.- An official in- | Maple Hill and the other had left Will- SHEEP HERDER SHOOTS vestigation of the Rock Island wreck and at Willard was started here this after-neon by Coroner Silverthorne of Wa-ordered out the wreckers. They also

ductor is in a hospital here.

In a few days, as soon as these witnesses can be present, the incurrence of many and the present of the incurrence of the inc

Knowing that no human power could

#### PREPARATIONS COMPLETED FOR THE LIVESTOCK CONVENTION

Panama republic. He introduced numerous newspaper extracts to bear out his contention that the revolution was assisted by officers and citizens of the United States.

Portland, Ore., Jan. 7.—Preparations of western governors will be present, including John Sparks of Nevada, Heber M. Wells of Utah, John Spa

#### HANNA WILL RUN

Kansas City, Mo., Jan. 7.- The Star today will print a story to the effect that Senator Mark A. Hanna will announce his candidacy for the presidency on Tuesday next, and asserting that this information was imparted yesterday tot Richard C. Kerens of St. Louis, national committeeman for Missouri, in a long distance telephone conversation.

#### Conscience - Stricken Sa'vation Army Man Set Fire to Hotel in Montana.

with dignity and because he undoubtedly violated the statute unwittingly. Judge Thomas said he believed Mr. Driggs was guilty only in a technical sense.

Pushed the Machine.

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"I promised to take up the machine and push it. I acted merely as a citizent of the court denied a motion for a new trial and reserved decision on a important of the court denied a motion for a stay of proceedings pending an appeal. Judge Thomas told the tiary on circumstantial evidence, and

tecently, while attending a Salvation Army meeting, he broke down and confessed to an army captain.

Two Salvation Army officers accompanied Wilson to the police station, He is being held by the police and notification has been sent to the Mentania fleation has been sent to the Montana

Forsyth, M. at., Jan. 7.—The Occidental hotel, known at the time it was burned as the Northern Pacific section house, was destroyed on the night of July 5. Jacob Braun, whose home is in North Dakota, losing his life. Over thirty guests jumped from the second and third stories and saved their lives. Ten were injured. A young man arrested in Missoula admitted having set fire to the building. He stated that a man named Wilson or Wilfiamson was with him on a hobo trip and they had been refused food at the house. The follow was given a hearing, but as he a seared to be mentally deranged, he was turned loose. The Occidental hotel was a barn-like structure and within fifteen minutes after the fire had been discovered had burned to the ground.

# HIMSELF NEAR KELTON

baunsee county. Testimony was taken notified the Maple Hill doctors to get which showed the eastbound freight train had orders to pass the passenger train at Willard. No inquiry as to the responsibility of the passenger crew was made on account of the inability of the engineer. Benjamin and Conductor of the county of the engineer. Benjamin and Conductor of the county of the passenger crew was made on account of the inability of the engineer. Benjamin and Conductor of the coroner of Washington and Conductor of the coroner of was found dead at 10 a. m., with a 28-(Special to The Herald.) made on account of the inability of the engineer. Benjamin, and Conductor Nagley to be present. The engineer is suffering from nervous prostration at his home in Kansas City, and the conductor is in a hospital here.

In a few days, ac soon as these witin San Francisco, Cal. The deceased poena from Coroner Treager. Even in his opinion the greater portion of the had resided at Rawlins for the last members of the city council who ap-

#### WORKMEN NOT WANTED.

Cape Colony Already Has a Large Idle Population.

New York, Jan. 7.-Sir Percy Sander-on, the British consul general, gave it the following today: "Information has been received to the effect that the government of Cape Colony desire, owing to the present conon of trade in the colony and ughout South Africa, to discourage further immigration of persons

HOYT SHERMAN ILL Der Moines, Ia., Jan. 7.-Major Hoyt Sherman of this city, brother of the late General W. T. Sherman, is report-

Saranac Lake, N. Y., Jan. 7.—Carl ordon, a brother-in-law of Daniel R. shot and killed himself here last nigh

#### + CUPID'S CASE CONTINUED.

Washington, Jan. 7 .- The case of + Jonah Kalanianaole, the Hawaiian \* delegate, who was arrested a few \* days ago on the charge of disor- derly conduct, and who refused to 
 furnish collateral to vaoid being 4 locked up in a cell, today was con + tinued until next Saturday, to en- + \* able him to obtain further evi- \*

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## PREPARATIONS FOR WAR BEING PUSHED RAPIDLY

Tension in the Far East Seems to Have Nearly Reached the Breaking Point.

Japan Has Russia's Reply to Her Demands and It Removes All

\***\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\***\*\*\*\*\*\*\* London, Jan. 8.-The Daily Mail's Tokio correspondent learns that

Ruesia has made new demands which it will be impossible for Japan to The correspondent says that all the powers are landing troops in Ko-

rea, and that the British blue jackets landed at Chempulpo are expected to go to Seoul immediately. Constant telegrams are passing between M. Pavloff, the Russian minister to Korea, Baron De Rosen, the Russian minister to Japan, and

Tokio, Jan. 8.-The attitude of Japan toward the response of Russia is still undefined. Premier Katsura, the minister of foreign affairs, the minister of war, the minister of finance and the minister of naval affairs held a council yesterday afternoon. It was decided that the cab inet confer with the older statesmen before deciding on a course of procedure. It is manifest that the Russian proposals are unsatisfactory. It is believed that Russia will make concessions in one direction and impose new conditions in another. The Japanese nation is deeply stirred. Public sentiment favors the abandonment of negotations, believing them to be useless, and urges a resort to arms.

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Cablegrams from Tokio printed in this morning's papers is able to give the contents of Russia's reply, but all concur in believing it to be unsatisfactory. It appears that the note might factory. It appears that the note might still be undelivered as Baron de Po-barrass Russia, not because of the in still be undelivered, as Baron de Ro-sen, Russian minister, is suffering from but the danger of the interruption an ear affection, had not Baron Ko- Russia's communication. The action of

an ear affection, had not Baron Komura, Japanese foreign minister, visited the Russian legation to get it.

According to the Standard's Tokio correspondent, an increasing number of steamships are requisitioned daily as transports.

The correspondent of the Daily Mail at Tokio reports, on the authority of the newspaper Chuo, that one Japanese has been murdered near Port Arthur, and that four others have been the Russia's communication. The action of the United States in sending marines to Seoul is regarded here as being a significant indication of the trend of its sympathies, and it is known to be gratifying to Japan, because it establishes a precedent which Japan can follow if necessary in debarking a strong force on the peninsula.

It is insisted at the Japanese legation that Japan never requested the view of Kussia upon the question of despatches.

thur, and that four others have been injured;

circles here claim to be without information regarding the contents of the Russian reply to Japan, but the tone is distinctly pessimistic and there are but slight hopes of a peaceful exit from the position in which Russia and Ia.

as to the attitude of the powers in case of war, that to be adopted by the United States being regarded as par-ficularly important. To the Associated Press the Japanese minister said to-day:

"The attitude of the Urited States will mean much. She has negotiated a treaty with China for the opening of three ports in Manchuria to the commerce of the world. These ports have been occupied by Russia and thus her treaty rights have been violated.

"Japan is not guided by selfish motives, but its acting in the interest of all nations. I hope the United States will clearly understand our position and will favor us with it ssupport."

The correspondent asked the minister if he had lost hope of peace.

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that Japan never requested the view of Russia upon the question of despatchng troops to Korea, and it is asserted

CRUISERS SENT OUT.

Fight May Be Precipitated Over Coal Ships.

Port Arthur, Jan. 7 (via Che-Foo, Jan 7.)—Several warships left at midnight to reinforce cruisers sent out for the pur pose of intercepting a Japanese squadroi of four ironclads, which, it is said, is now

Russia Means Business.

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The Chinese legation claims to be without information in regard to the copied and the copied an

#### CORONER HOLDING INQUEST OVER VICTIMS OF IROOUOIS DISASTER

Chicago, Jan. 7 .- A dozen persons to- published heretofore concerning his acday testified before the coroner's jury it in of the day of the fire.

Mr. Stetson and Coroner Treager became involved in a long discussion as to the merits of asbestos curtains, during The inquest is being held in the which Mr. Stetson admitted that asbes-

cil chamber without an order or a subthree years where, it is said, he has plied for admission were turned away. Was still in good condition, and exfriends.

Among the witnesses were Eddie Foy, pressed himself as anxious to make excemedian of the "Mr. Bluebeard" com-

tor curtains, if subjected to an ex-No person was admitted to the countie chamber without an order or a sub"life" and crumble. He declared that

pany, and George W. Stetson, a representative of the company which manufactured the asbestos curtain. The evidence of Foy did not differ greatly from the statements which have been serion. Building Commissioner Williams to day rescinded the order closing the Coliseum, declaring it safe from fire. Fifteen halls were ordered closed.

# Disastrous Wreck on the Brooklyn

Elevated Road.

New York. Jan. 7.—Three trainmen seriously injured.

Were killed today by a collision of two None of the passengers was badly without ample means or prospect of immediate employment. Numbers of skilled artisans and others have been thrown out of work and fresh arrivals accentuate the harships."

None of the passengers was badly hurt.

The crowded passenger train crashed into a train of empties, telescoping the contract the structure to the street and nearly every bone in his body broken, while another had his head crushed between the bumper of the engine, which was rammed by a motor train and the front

THREE TRAINMEN KILLED. | The dead, who were all employes of the George Guilg, yardmaster, James O'Brien, car coupler

Smith, aged 35 years, was

William H. Ferguson, fireman George E. Smith, aged 35 year

TOOK \$43,000.

Sherman of this city, brother of the late General W. T. Sherman, is reported to be very III from an attack of pneumonia.

KILLED BY ACCIDENT.

Sergage Lake N. Y. Jan. 7—7271

Sherman of this city, brother of the one drawn by steam power.

Simultaneously with the collision a three was started by the coals from the was started by the coals from the panic of the passengers who fought desperately to escape from the wrecked cars.

### HARRIMAN FORMALLY ELECTED

New York, Jan. 7 .- E. H. Harriman was today elected president of

the Union Pacific Railroad company. The resignation of Horace G. Burt as president was first accepted. and the election of Mr. Harriman immediately followed, after which the directors adjourned.

There is reason to believe that Mr. Harriman's acceptance of the presidency is only temporary. Meetings of the various Harriman syndicate roads were also held today, but they were said to be of a routine and unimportant nature.